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> PETITION TO REVIEW DECISION REFUSING TO ACCEPT AND RECORD PAYMENT OF A MAINTENANCE FEE FILED PRIOR TO EXPIRATION OF PATENT (37 C.F.R. § 1.377)

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.377, the Applicant respectfully requests review of a decision refusing to accept and record the 7-1/2-year maintenance fee for the captioned patent prior to expiration of the patent. The Director is authorized to charge the petition fee set forth in 37 CFR § 1.17(g) and the 7-1/2-year maintenance fee for a small entity pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.20(f) to Deposit Account 04-1105 and is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees that may be required and/or credit any overpayment to the same Deposit Account.

The Applicant further petitions that the petition fee set forth in 37 CFR § 1.17(g) be refunded if it is determined that the result of the earlier error is that of the United States Patent and Trademark Office (the "USPTO").

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